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Sir:

In response to the Notice dated April 29, 2004 (copy attached), enclosed herewith is a Declaration Under Section 305(c) of the National Aeronautics and Space Act of 1958. This Declaration has been prepared and signed by the inventor(s), Gerald Alexander Pauley and Brian Paul Overbeck.

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